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In re patent application of: ) Attorney Docket No.: F-192

Mark Bresnan, et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3629

Serial No.: 09/628,496 ) Examiner: E. Cosimano

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Confirmation No.: 3808 ) Customer No. 00919

Title: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MAIL PIECE PRODUCTION  
UTILIZING A DATA CENTER AND INTER-RELATED  
COMMUNICATION NETWORKS**

**PETITION/DECLARATION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT BASED  
UPON FAILURE TO RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This is a Petition/Declaration pursuant to MPEP §711.03(c) to withdraw the April 22, 2003, holding of abandonment of the above-referenced patent application, which Petition/Declaration is based upon Applicants' failure to receive the Patent Office Action mailed September 20, 2002.

I, RONALD REICHMAN, do hereby declare and say:

1. I am employed by Pitney Bowes Inc., the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-referenced patent application, as a Senior Corporate Counsel in the Intellectual Property and Technology Law Department.

2. I am an attorney of record in the above-referenced patent application. My United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") Registration number is 26,796.

3. Sometime in 2001, the above-referenced patent application was transferred to my docket.

4. On June 1, 2001, I filed a response in the USPTO to the March 2, 2001, Patent Office Action.

5. The Patent Office Action of September 20, 2002, was not received until sometime in April 2003, when Examiner Cosimano faxed applicant a copy of the Patent Office Action of September 20, 2002.

6. I searched the file jacket of the above-referenced patent application and was unable to find the Patent Office Action of September 20, 2002, listed thereon.

7. Pitney Bowes Inc. maintains a docket by attorney of all outstanding Patent Office Actions. The Pitney Bowes Inc. docket number for the above-referenced patent application is F-192.

8. If the Patent Office Action dated September 20, 2002, was received by Pitney Bowes Inc. for F-192, it should have appeared in the dockets dated October 1, 2002; November 6, 2002; and December 3, 2002, "Due Date List By Attorney" Ronald Reichman, copies of said dockets attached hereto.

9. I searched the October 1, 2002, November 6, 2002, and December 3, 2002, Due Date List for Ronald Reichman, and I was unable to find a reference to the September 20, 2002, Patent Office Action for F-192.

10. I am of the opinion that Pitney Bowes Inc. never received the September 20, 2002, Patent Office Action for F-192.

11. A response to the September 20, 2002, Patent Office Action is attached hereto. The response is being filed within three (3) months of the April 22, 2003, Holding of Abandonment.

Applicants petition the USPTO to grant this Petition and withdraw the holding of abandonment.

July 9, 2003.



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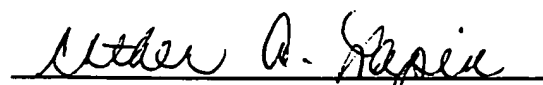
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Due Date	Action Due	Case Number/Country/SubCase	Status
02-Sep-2002	Cite WIPO Search Report	F-417/US/	Pending
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03-Sep-2002	Respond to PCT Written Opinion	F-198/WO/	Exam Req
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		<i>Title:</i> MESSAGING SERVICES FOR UNIQUELY IDENTIFIED MAIL	
28-Sep-2002	Cite PCT Search Report	F-138/US/	Published
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28-Sep-2002	Respond EP Search Report	F-183/EP/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> RECIPIENT ELECTED MESSAGING SERVICES	
30-Sep-2002	Corresp US/EP Case Info Due	E-214/CA/	Exam Req
		<i>Title:</i> FLUORESCENT PIGMENTED INK COMPOSITION HAVING USE IN A BUBBLE JET INK JET PRINTER	
02-Oct-2002	Article 19 Amendment Due	F-417/WO/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR UTILIZING A FRAGILE WATERMARK FOR ENHANCED SECURITY	
12-Oct-2002	Cite PCT Search Report	F-163/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY READING ELECTRONIC TICKETS	
17-Oct-2002	Review for Reissue	E-689/US/	Granted
		<i>Title:</i> SYSTEM FOR TRACKING THE RECEIPT AND INTERNAL DELIVERY OF ITEMS SUCH AS PACKAGES	
19-Oct-2002	Follow Up Petition to Revive	E-214/US/	Abandoned
		<i>Title:</i> FLUORESCENT PIGMENTED INK COMPOSITION HAVING USE IN A BUBBLE JET INK JET PRINTER	
22-Oct-2002	Reponse to Official Action	E-620/CN/	Exam Req
		<i>Title:</i> PIXEL SPLITTING TO IMPROVE BAR CODE READABILITY	
24-Oct-2002	Review for Reissue	E-763/US/	Granted
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PRESORTING MAIL BASED ON MAIL PIECE THICKNESS	
26-Oct-2002	Final Amendment Due in 1 month	E-781/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR RESPONDING TO MAIL RETURNED TO A SENDER AS UNDELIVERABLE	

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		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TRANSPORTING MAILPIECES IN A PRINTING STATION	
31-Oct-2002	Amendment Due	E-982/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> SYSTEM FOR CONDUCTING BUSINESS OVER THE INTERNET	
02-Nov-2002	New Application Status	F-206/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> VIRTUAL BOOKSHELF FOR ONLINE STORAGE USE AND SALE OF MATERIAL	
06-Nov-2002	Verify Issued	E-879/US/	Allowed
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TABBING FOLDED MATERIAL	
07-Nov-2002	Review for Reissue	E-715/US/	Granted
		<i>Title:</i> USAGE OF DUAL LUMINESCENT INKS TO PRODUCE A POSTAL ORIENTING AND SORTING IDENTIFICATION MARK FOR AN INFORMATION-BASED INDICIA	
10-Nov-2002	Verify Issued	E-922/US/	Allowed
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LIMITING TORQUE IN A FEEDER	
12-Nov-2002	Amendment Due	E-749/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> ENVELOPE THAT IS CONDUCIVE TO PRINTING A FACING IDENTIFICATION MARK WITH AN INFORMATION BASED INDICIA	
14-Nov-2002	Follow Up Appeal	E-629/US/	Appealed
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPORTING INFORMATION FROM A NETWORK RESOURCE	
16-Nov-2002	Verify Issued	E-877/US/	Allowed
		<i>Title:</i> TRAINABLE DATABASE FOR USE IN A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR RETURNING A NON-SCALE-BASED PARCEL WEIGHT	
16-Nov-2002	Amendment Due	E-925/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DATA REPOSITORY	
20-Nov-2002	Amendment Due	F-154/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> DYNAMICALLY RECONFIGURABLE TURNKEY SYSTEM	
20-Nov-2002	Follow Up Amendment	F-192/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MAIL PIECE PRODUCTION UTILIZING A DATA CENTER AND INTER-RELATED COMMUNICATION NETWORKS	
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27-Nov-2002	Amendment Due	E-924/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND PROCESS FOR PROVIDING POSTAL DISCOUNTING	
27-Nov-2002	New Application Status	F-112/US/	Published
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR BATCH MAIL PROCESSING UTILIZING A WEB BROWSER IN A POSTAL OR SHIPPING SYSTEM	
27-Nov-2002	New Application Status	F-185/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR RETURNING MERCHANDISE	
27-Nov-2002	Amendment Due	F-230/US/	Published
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REMOTE PRINTING OF DOCUMENTS	
28-Nov-2002	Follow Up Amendment	E-934/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> DATA TRANSFER MODULE AND SYSTEM USING SAME	
28-Nov-2002	Final Amendment Due	F-153/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TRANSPORTING MAILPIECES IN A PRINTING STATION	
28-Nov-2002	New Application Status	F-171/US/	Pending
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09-Dec-2002	Follow up Appeal Decision	E-513/US/	Appealed
		<i>Title:</i> SECURE MONEY ORDER ISSUING KIOSK	
10-Dec-2002	Follow Up Appeal	E-792/US/	Appealed
		<i>Title:</i> DIGITAL PRINTING, METERING, AND RECORDING OF GRAPHICAL INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF A MAIL PIECE	
10-Dec-2002	Amendment Due	E-949/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REPORTING CARRIER DELIVERY STATUS TO A MAILER	
10-Dec-2002	Information Disclosure Stmtnt	F-457/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR DETECTING AND REDIRECTING MISDIRECTED MAIL	
10-Dec-2002	Information Disclosure Stmtnt	F-483/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR PROCESSING AND DELIVERING REGISTERED MAIL	
10-Dec-2002	Information Disclosure Stmtnt	F-484/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR DETECTING AND REDIRECTING MAJOR MAILER'S SPECIAL SERVICE MAIL	
10-Dec-2002	Information Disclosure Stmtnt	F-538/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR MAINTAINING THE INTEGRITY OF A MAILING USING RADIO FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION TAGS	
14-Dec-2002	Follow Up Amend After Appeal	E-574/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> SYSTEM FOR THE ENHANCEMENT OF INFORMATION BASED INDICIA AND POSTAGE SECURITY DEVICES	
23-Dec-2002	Amendment Due	F-139/US/	Published
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRINTING AN INFORMATION-BASED INDICIA PROGRAM (IBIP) POSTAGE FROM A DOCUMENT INSERTER	
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01-Aug-2002	Information Disclosure Stmt	F-456/US/ <i>Title: METHOD FOR TAGGING MAIL</i>	Pending
01-Aug-2002	Information Disclosure Stmt	F-480/US/ <i>Title: METHOD FOR PRINTING A MANIFEST OR STATEMENT OF MAILING HAVING A PATTERN THAT MATCHES A PATTERN PRINTED ON THE EDGES OF MAIL PIECES CONTAINED IN A TRAY</i>	Pending
03-Sep-2002	Respond to PCT Written Opinion	F-198/WO/ <i>Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SELECTIVELY UPDATING RATING DATA AND SOFTWARE DATA VIA INTERNET OR INTRANET IN A CARRIER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM</i>	Exam Req
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04-Jan-2003	Counterstatemnt Due (internal)	C-944/EP/	Opposed
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09-Jan-2003	Amendment Due	E-986/US/	Published
		<i>Title:</i> RECIPIENT ELECTED MESSAGING SERVICES FOR MAIL THAT IS TRANSPORTED IN TRAYS OR TUBS	
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16-Jan-2003	Respond to Examiners Report	C-707/CA/	Amended
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16-Jan-2003	Follow Up Amendment	F-193/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR OBTAINING SECURE RECEIPTS SALES AND/OR USE TAXES ON SALES THAT ARE MADE VIA THE INTERNET AND/OR CATALOG	
18-Jan-2003	Issue Fee Due	F-164/US/	Allowed
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR SEARCHING A DIGITAL RIGHTS MANAGEMENT PACKAGE	
22-Jan-2003	Issue Fee/Drawings Due	E-916/US/	Allowed
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PARCEL LABEL GENERATION	
22-Jan-2003	Final Amendment Due	E-934/US/	Amended
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23-Jan-2003	Amendment Due	F-116/US/	Appealed
		<i>Title:</i> A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ISSUING ELECTRONIC TICKETS	
23-Jan-2003	Amendment Due	F-286/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD FOR THE RECOVERY OF UNUSABLE PRINTED POSTAGE	
30-Jan-2003	Follow Up Appeal	F-175/US/	Appealed
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31-Jan-2003	Verify Issued	E-981/US/	Pending
		<i>Title:</i> INTELLIGENT INTERFACE CABLE ASSEMBLY AND METHOD OF PROVIDING THE SAME	
01-Feb-2003	Follow Up Appeal	E-726/US/	Appealed
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12-Dec-2002	Cite PCT Search Report	F-230/US/	Amended
		<i>Title:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REMOTE PRINTING OF DOCUMENTS	
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02-Jan-2003	Review for Reissue	E-717/US/	Granted
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09-Jan-2003	Amendment Due	E-917/US/ Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING BUILD-TO-ORDER SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS	Pending
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14-Jan-2003	Follow Up Amend After Appeal	E-574/US/ Title: SYSTEM FOR THE ENHANCEMENT OF INFORMATION BASED INDICIA AND POSTAGE SECURITY DEVICES	Amended
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18-Jan-2003	Issue Fee Due	F-164/US/ Title: METHOD FOR SEARCHING A DIGITAL RIGHTS MANAGEMENT PACKAGE	Allowed
20-Jan-2003	Follow Up Amendment 4 mw	F-192/US/ Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MAIL PIECE PRODUCTION UTILIZING A DATA CENTER AND INTER-RELATED COMMUNICATION NETWORKS	Amended
21-Jan-2003	New Application Status	F-198/US/ Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SELECTIVELY UPDATING RATING DATA AND SOFTWARE DATA VIA INTERNET OR INTRANET IN A CARRIER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM	Pending
22-Jan-2003	Final Amendment Due	E-934/US/ Title: DATA TRANSFER MODULE AND SYSTEM USING SAME	Amended
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